

**BOROUGH OF DUMONT
BERGEN COUNTY, N.J.
NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the Borough of Dumont, Bergen County, New Jersey for the **HANDICAP ACCESS ALTERATIONS TO THE DIXON HOMESTEAD LIBRARY AND SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER**, opened and read in public in Council Chambers at the Borough of Dumont Municipal Building, 50 Washington Avenue, Dumont, New Jersey 07628 on Thursday, October 28 at 10:00 A.M. prevailing time.

The Project consists of removal and reconstruction of the exterior stairs, handicap ramp and renovation to the Library entry vestibule; automatic door openers at the Library and Senior Center and related interior and exterior renovations and site work.

Contract Documents for the proposed work, prepared by Warren G. Doty, Architect, Brick, New Jersey and T&M Associates, Consulting and Municipal Engineers, 1373 Broad Street, Suite 306, Clifton, New Jersey 07013 are on file in the office of the Engineer and may be inspected by prospective bidders during business hours. Their contact phone number is 973-614-0005.

Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the contract documents and plans by the Engineer upon proper notice and payment of a non-refundable fee of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) to defray the cost thereof. Payment shall be made payable to T&M Associates.

Proposals must be made on the Standard Proposal Forms in a manner designated in the contract documents, must be enclosed in **sealed envelope** bearing the name and address of the bidder and the name of the **project** on the outside, addressed to the Borough Clerk and must be accompanied by a Statement of Consent of Surety from a surety company holding a Certificate of Authorization to do business in the State of New Jersey and a bid guarantee for not less than ten percent (10%) of the amount bid except that the bid guarantee need not exceed \$20,000.00.

The award of the Contract for this work will not be made until the necessary funds have been provided by the Borough of Dumont in a lawful manner. This contract will be funded in part with funds from the Bergen County Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program

The Borough of Dumont reserves the right to require a complete financial and experience statement from prospective bidders showing that they have satisfactorily completed work of the nature required before furnishing proposal forms or specifications, or before awarding the contract.

The right is also reserved to reject any or all bids or to waive any informality where such informality is not detrimental to the best interest of the Borough of Dumont. The right is also reserved to increase or decrease the quantities specified in the manner designated in the specifications.

This procurement will be subject to regulations contained in applicable sections of the New Jersey Local Public Contracts Law in effect on the date of the assistance award for this project.

A statement of a surety company authorized to do business in the State of New Jersey and conforming with P.L. 1995, c.384 and listed in the current U.S. Treasury Department Circular 570, must be

submitted agreeing to execute and deliver a Payment and Performance Bond in the penal sum of one hundred percent (100%) of the proposal amount.

Bidders are required to comply with the current requirements of N.J.S.A.10:5-31 et. seq. and N.J.A.C.17:27 (P.L. 1975, c.127 Affirmative Action); P.L. 1977, c.33 (Disclosure of Ownership) and P.L. 1999, c. 39, as amended by P.L. 2004, c. 57, (NJ Contractor Business Registration Act).

The successful bidder shall be required to comply with the provisions of the New Jersey Prevailing Wage Act, Chapter 150 of the Laws of 1963, effective January 1,1964 and the Public Works Contractor Registration Act (NJSA 34:11-56.48).

BY ORDER OF THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF DUMONT

Susan Connelly RMC
Borough Clerk